

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q76292

Stefaan Jozef DE CNODDER, et al.

Appln. No.: Not Assigned

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For: TELECOMMUNICATION NETWORK WITH FAST-REROUTE FEATURES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows: